

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT:**

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

~~A method and apparatus for transferring data~~ Data is transferred between points in a network is disclosed which is in a manner particularly applicable to the transfer of data over digital communications links that have signaling channels and data channels such as integrated services digital networks (ISDN) equipment. The method and apparatus enables an ~~An~~ ISDN network terminating unit is enabled to have low bandwidth data channel for downloading emails from a computer without the need for a dial up connection.